PROJECT DISARM

CLASS OF 2003

All of the individuals listed below are people arrested, convicted and/or sentenced in the year 2002/2003 under Project Disarm. Project Disarm is the joint local and ATF&E task force to combat gun violence in the greater Cincinnati, Ohio area. It is the law enforcement component for greater Cincinnati of the federal program Project Safe Neighborhood currently underway in the Southern District of Ohio. This list does not include individuals who currently awaiting sentencing or who have filed an appeal of their case.

1. TROY ANDREW ALLEN age 30

Date of arrest: June 5, 2002

Circumstances of arrest: the defendant was seen engaged in suspected drug activity. During the arrest, a firearm was found.

Prior record: prior weapons violations and robbery

Sentencing date: March 6, 2003

Sentence: 130 months imprisonment, 4 years Supervised Release

2. CHRISTOPHER GODBY age 24

Date of arrest: October 12, 2001

Circumstances of arrest: The defendant was arrested after an investigation of illegal firearms purchases.

Prior record: multiple drug trafficking offenses

Sentencing date: April 18, 2002

Sentence: 120 months imprisonment, 3 years Supervised Release

3. JOHN LEWIS age 43

Date of arrest: April 22, 2002

Circumstances of arrest: The defendant was found with a firearm while on bond for state drug charges.

Prior record: two prior convictions for drug trafficking

Sentencing date: February 13, 2003

Sentence: The defendant was convicted on federal drug and firearms offenses, received 97 months imprisonment, 5 years Supervised Release

4. ANTONIO HOWARD age 25

Date of arrest: December 21, 2001

Circumstances of arrest: The defendant was arrest during a drug deal and found with a firearm.

Prior record: prior drug trafficking offenses

Sentencing date: November 20, 2002

Sentence: 96 months imprisonment, 5 years Supervised Release

5. GAZZIE MAXWELL age 29

Date of arrest: March 5, 2002

Circumstances of arrest: The defendant was involved in a traffic stop. The weapon was found in his pocket.

Prior record: 3 prior convictions for drugs

Sentencing date: March 26, 2003

Sentence: 75 months imprisonment, 3 years Supervised Release

6. SHANNON FORD age 31

Date of arrest: January 16, 2002

Circumstances of arrest: arrested for suspicion of drug trafficking, a weapon was found in search of car.

Prior record: robbery and drug offenses

Sentencing date: October 18, 2002

Sentence: 70 months imprisonment, 3 years Supervised Release.

7. KEVIN SHEA age 42

Date of arrest: September 9, 2002

Circumstances of arrest: The defendant was arrested on an outstanding fugitive warrant from another state and found with a gun.

Prior record: robbery, escape and sex offenses

Sentencing date: February 28, 2003

Sentence: 57 months imprisonment, 3 years Supervised Release

8. KEVIN DAVIS age 28

Date of arrest: January 29, 2002

Circumstances of arrest: a drug investigation recovered a firearm

Prior record: felony theft and drug offenses

Sentencing date: January 16, 2003

Sentence: 51 months imprisonment, 3 years Supervised Release

9. JORDAN BENJAMIN age 20

Date of arrest: June 20, 2002

Circumstances of arrest: The defendant was found with a hand gun after a traffic stop.

Prior record: drug trafficking Sentencing date: April 15, 2003

Sentence: 51 months imprisonment, 3 years Supervised Release

10. BRIAN FAULKNER age 24

Date of arrest: June 4, 2002

Circumstances of arrest: The defendant seen firing a gun into the air.

Prior record: Prior robbery and drug trafficking convictions

Sentencing Date: February 5, 2003

Sentence: 46 months imprisonment, 3 years Supervised Release

11. JERRY DORIZAS age 45

Date of arrest: March 15, 2001

Circumstances of arrest: undercover gun and drug buy from the defendant.

Prior record: felony drug offenses Sentencing date: June 21, 2002

Sentence: 46 months, 3 years Supervised Release.

12. DAMIEN CHERRY age 23

Date of arrest: March 6, 2002

Circumstances of arrest: traffic stop discovered a firearm

Prior record: felony drug offenses Sentencing date: November 21, 2002

Sentence: 46 months imprisonment, 3 years Supervised release

13. DAMEN LEWIS age 28

Date of arrest: June 6, 2002

Circumstances of arrest: during a drug investigation police found a firearm.

Prior record: multiple felony drug convictions

Sentencing date: January 8, 2003

Sentence: 37 months, 3 years Supervised Release

14. ALLEN HINTON age 23

Date of arrest: February 2, 2002

Circumstances of arrest: Officers responded to a robbery complaint found defendant with a firearm.

Prior record: 1 prior conviction for Preparation for Sale of Marijuana

Sentencing date: November 14, 2002

Sentence: 37 months imprisonment, 3 years Supervised Release

15. JAMES STIER age 43

Date of Arrest: April 4, 2002

Circumstances of arrest: Officers responded to a 911 call regarding a person with a gun. The defendant was found with a firearm.

Prior record: Robbery and burglary. Sentencing Date: November 18, 2002

Sentence: 37 months imprisonment, 3 years Supervised Release

16. MICHAEL GREEN age 22

Date of arrest: July 24, 2002

Circumstances of arrest: Officers responding to a call happened to park beside the defendant. As the officers exited their vehicle, the defendant was observed with a marajuana cigarette.

Prior record: Prior drug trafficking and weapons convictions.

Sentencing date: April 18, 2003

Sentence: 37 months imprisonment, 3 years Supervised Release

17. THOMAS PHELPS age 34

Date of arrest: July 19, 2002

Circumstances of arrest: The defendant was arrested after a car chase.

Prior record: Aggravated assault, Preparation for Sale of Marijuana, Carrying a Concealed Weapon.

Sentencing Date: March 7, 2003

Sentence: 33 months imprisonment, 3 years Supervised Release

18. DERRICK BALDWIN age 25

Date of Arrest: August 20, 2002

Circumstances of arrest: Officers observed the defendant with marijuana. The defendant was searched and found to have a firearm.

Prior record: felony drug charges and robbery

Sentencing Date: April 15, 2003

Sentence: 33 months imprisonment, 3 years Supervised Release to be served consecutively with a state sentence

19. ALEX KINCAID age 22

Date of arrest: September 14, 2002

Circumstances of arrest: The defendant was arrested on an outstanding warrant and found to be in possession of a firearm.

Prior record: receiving stolen property, carrying a concealed weapon

Sentencing date: April 1, 2003

Sentence: 27 months imprisonment, 3 years Supervised Release

20. RICARDO LEE age 34

Date of arrest: March 30, 2002

Circumstances of arrest: Officers responded to a call regarding shots being fired. The defendant was seen running from the area. The defendant was found with a gun.

Prior record: one prior Weapons under Disability

Sentencing Date: September 26, 2002

Sentence: 18 months imprisonment, 3 years Supervised Release

21. JENNIFER REYNOLDS age 27

Date of arrest: October 12, 2001

Circumstances of arrest: The defendant was straw purchasing firearms with Godby.

Prior record: no prohibiting offenses Sentencing date: June 11, 2002

Sentence: permanent prohibition from possessing firearms, 8 months confinement, 2 years Supervised Release

22. TERRI SHELTON age 24

Date of arrest: October 12, 2001

Circumstances of Arrest: The defendant was straw purchasing firearms with Godby.

Prior record: none

Sentencing date: April 18, 2002

Sentence: permanent prohibition from possessing firearms, 4 months in a halfway house, 3 months home confinement, 1 year probation

23. LATOYA BLACKMAN age 23

Date of arrest: October 12, 2001

Circumstances of arrest: The defendant was straw purchasing firearms with Godby.

Prior sentence: no prohibiting offenses

Sentencing date: April 18, 2002

Sentence: permanent prohibition from possessing firearms,4 months in a halfway house, 3 months home confinement, 1 year probation

24. DANIEL BATTAGLIA age 29

Date of arrest: May 2, 2002

Circumstances of arrest: The defendant was found with an unregistered firearm .

Prior record: no prohibiting prior record Sentencing date: September 20, 2002

Sentence: 6 months imprisonment, 3 years Supervised Release, permanent disqualification from possessing firearms

AVERAGE AGE OF DEFENDANT: 29 years

AVERAGE SENTENCE OF IMPRISONMENT: 49 months AVERAGE TERM OF SUPERVISED RELEASE: 3 years